IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

In re Patent Application of

Atty Dkt. 4662-282

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Confirmation No. 9014

WANG et al TC/A.U.: 1796
Serial No. 10/501,902 Examiner: Nutter

Filed: July 20, 2004 Date: February 25, 2009

Title: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF A THERMOPLASTIC ELASTOMER

COMPRISING A PARTIALLY VULCANIZED RUBBER CONCENTRATE

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:	Sir: ☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.				
\boxtimes	NOTICE OF APPEAL Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting \$540.00 (1401)/\$270.00 (2401) applicant's claim(s).		\$	540.00	
	An appeal BRIEF is attached in the pending appearabove-identified application	al of the \$540.00 (1402)/\$270.00 (2402)	\$		
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	A reply brief is attached.			(no fee)	
	Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review form attached.				
	Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) One Month Extension \$130.00 (1251)/\$65.00 (2251) Two Month Extensions \$490.00 (1252)/\$245.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1110.00 (1253/\$555.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1730.00 (1254/\$865.00 (2254)		\$		
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